



## DEPARTMENT OF RESOURCES RECYCLING AND RECOVERY

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### NOTICE

**To:** Private and Public Operators of Curbside, Drop-off or Collection,  
Community Service and Recycling Center Programs

**Subject:** Statewide Commingled Rate Study Public Workshop

The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) will hold a workshop on the methodology used to conduct the statewide commingled rate study in Sacramento on August 10, 2011.

Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 14549.5, CalRecycle will, through this workshop, consult with private and public operators of curbside, drop-off or collection, community service, recycling center, and reverse vending machine programs regarding the size of the statewide sample, appropriate sampling methodologies, and alternatives to exclusive reliance on a statewide commingled rate. The study methodology used by CalRecycle will be presented in detail and participants' comments and questions will be addressed.

Anyone interested in reviewing the methodology used by CalRecycle to determine the statewide average commingled rates, refund values and/or number of containers per pound, is encouraged to attend the workshop. Participants are also encouraged to present alternative methodologies at this workshop. The workshop will be held at the location shown below, on the date and time indicated:

**Wednesday, August 10, 2011  
1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.  
John Muir Room, 20<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Renaissance Towers  
801 K Street, Sacramento, CA**

Please note that the workshop will begin at the time indicated and will only continue the full three hours as necessary. Attendees requiring more information after the conclusion of the workshop should contact CalRecycle staff listed below.

In the event that you are unable to attend the workshop and would like to send in methodological suggestions or would like to receive copies of the workshop materials, please direct your suggestions and/or requests, in advance, via e-mail to [amy.seyfried@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:amy.seyfried@calrecycle.ca.gov) or via U.S. mail to the address listed below.



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CalRecycle – Division of Recycling  
801 K Street, MS 17-24 – Attn: CMR Workshop  
Sacramento, California 95814

If you have any questions regarding this workshop, please contact Chris Goetzke at  
(916) 327-7596 or via email at [Chris.Goetzke@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:Chris.Goetzke@calrecycle.ca.gov).

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Chris Goetzke", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Chris Goetzke  
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